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Applicant: Lynn P. Tessier et al.  
Title: **DEVICE AND METHOD FOR COMMUNUTING MATERIALS**  
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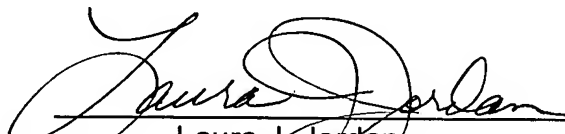
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

**12 July 2005**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the office action mailed 13 April 2005, the applicants' attorney amends the claims and specification, and requests reconsideration of the application in light of the amendment and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8.